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[EDITOR'S NOTE: This is one of a series of news releases regarding separate Senior Citizen Outreach programs in various Macomb County communities. Although the releases are similar, the programs differ, are held at different locations, dates and times. They are sponsored by Macomb County commissioners, who contribute significantly to planning and running the event.]

Senior outreach day scheduled for Warren

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich. – The Macomb County Department of Senior Citizen Services and St. John Hospital with the support of County Commissioner Susan Doherty will coordinate a Senior Outreach Day from 9 a.m. to noon Wednesday, Oct. 18, in Warren.

Flu and pneumonia vaccines, health screening and vital information of interest to senior citizens will be offered at this clinic. The clinic will be held at St. Martin De Porres Catholic Church, 31555 Hoover Road in Warren.

The Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan will provide flu vaccines to anyone 18 years old and older.

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The vaccine is free to seniors who have Medicare Part B insurance. Seniors should bring their Medicare card, driver's license or Michigan identification card, and supplemental health insurance card. A \$24 fee for flu vaccine and a \$40 fee for pneumonia vaccine applies to anyone who does not have Medicare Part B. The Visiting Nurse Association will accept cash, checks, Care Choices or Health Alliance Plan (HAP) insurance.

The following free services also will be offered to seniors at this site: Macomb County Discount Cards, 9-1-1 cell phones, blood pressure screening, cholesterol tests, bone density and body fat analysis.

Representatives from the Senior Citizen Service Center and other agencies will be present with information of interest to seniors. For further information, contact Cathy Wilson at 586-469-6307.

The Macomb County Department of Senior Citizen Services is sponsored by the Macomb County Board of Commissioners and receives County funds for all services. Funding for the department also comes from the Area Agency on Aging 1-B, the state of Michigan, the Older American Act and the State Department of Human Services.

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